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In re Application of

Graham D. Stead

Serial No.: 09/642,201

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Network Optimization



Group Art Unit: 2681

Examiner:

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Information Disclosure Statement;
2. Statement Under Rule 97(e);
3. Form PTO-1449 (1 sheet); and
4. Exhibits (5 enclosures).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1579. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 18-1579 for any future fees connected in any way to this application. Two copies of this letter are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97-1.98
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant hereby submits this Information Disclosure Statement (IDS). The form PTO-1449 submitted herewith lists references that Applicant believes may be relevant. Copies of all the listed references are enclosed. These documents are not necessarily analogous art.

The documents cited in this IDS were cited in a PCT communication mailed December 4, 2000. A copy of the PCT communication is enclosed herewith.

Concerning the foreign language document, the brief summary requirement of Rule 98 is satisfied by the annotated citation from the preliminary search report contained in the enclosed PCT communication.

Applicant respectfully submits that all requirements of Rules 97 and 98 have been satisfied and, thus, this IDS is timely filed. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the documents cited in this IDS be considered by the Examiner and made of record in the application, such consideration being indicated by returning an initialed copy of the attached form PTO-1449.

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Dear Sir:

The undersigned hereby states that each document cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed herewith was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. The undersigned further states that to the knowledge of the undersigned, after making reasonable inquiry, no document cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed herewith was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

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